PATENT APPLICATION

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated June 11, 2008. Review and reconsideration on the merits in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

A Petition for Extension of Time for two months is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, extending the time for response from September 11, 2008 to November 12, 2008 (timely filed, November 11, 2008 being a Federal Holiday).

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